(2) The number and names of applicants for honorary posts in the State Medical service; the applicants whose prayer was disallowed; what were the qualifications of each and for what service had each offered;

(3) the names of medical men who are to retire in the next three years?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao *(Chief Medical Officer).*—

(1) List appended. *(Appendix II)*

(2) List appended. *(Appendix III)*

(3) Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao—Chief Medical Officer.

Dr. A. R. Poduval—Civil Surgeon.

Mr. P. M. Krishnan—Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

Mr. K. Kochunny Menon do

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Wadakkancheri).*—May I know, Sir, whether at the time of the retirement of the gentlemen in answer to sub-section (3) the question of manning these institutions by honorary men will be seriously considered by Government?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao *(Chief Medical Officer).*—It will be considered by the Government.

Pazhanji Dispensary—provision for Medicine.

14. **Mr. T. C. Iyyukutty** *(Pazhanji).*—Will the Government be pleased to state whether they can provide Rs. 1,000 for medicine for the Pazhanji Dispensary for 1113?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao *(Chief Medical Officer).*—No.

Mr. T. C. Iyyukutty *(Pazhanji).*—What is the cost of medicine to each rural dispensary?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao *(Chief Medical Officer).*—Rs. 360 a year.

Mr. T. C. Iyyukutty *(Pazhanji).*—What is the commitment if it is raised to Rs. 500?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao *(Chief Medical Officer).*—The difference between these two.

Mr. T. C. Iyyukutty *(Pazhanji).*—What is the number of dispensaries?

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Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao *(Chief Medical Officer).*— About 18.

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. കൃഷ്ണൻകുട്ടി *(Anthikad).*— എയിഡഡ് ഡിസ്പെൻസറി വേണമെന്ന വല്ല അപേക്ഷകളും ഇപ്പോൾ പെൻറിംഗ് ആയിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

ഡാക്ടർ ഡി. രാഘവേന്ദ്രറാവു *(Chief Medical Officer).*— ഇപ്പോഴും ഉണ്ട്.

Cochin Marketing Officers—working of.

15. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Wadakkancherri).*— Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) how long have the Cochin Marketing Officers been working;

(b) what is the result of their labours hitherto?

Mr. K. Krishna Warriar *(Director of Agriculture).*—

(a) The Cochin Marketing Officers have been working since Medam 1110.

(b) Marketing survey reports on the following 13 commodities and a report on Co-operative Marketing in the State have been submitted to the Agricultural Marketing Adviser, Government of India.

Commodities.

1	Rice	8	Grapes
2	Wheat	9	Coffee
3	Ground-nut	10	Eggs
4	Linseed	11	Milk
5	Tobacco	12	Cattle
6	Pine-apples	13	Hides and skins
7	Bananas		

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Wadakkancheri).*— With regard to the survey conducted upon some of our local products, are we in a positian to take independent action without reference to the Government of India at whose instance the survey was started?

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